

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
EASTERN DIVISION**

MONSANTO COMPANY and)
MONSANTO TECHNOLOGY LLC,)

Plaintiffs,)

vs.)

Case No. 4:09-CV-00686-ERW

E.I. DUPONT DE NEMOURS AND)
COMPANY and PIONEER HI-BRED)
INTERNATIONAL, INC.,)

Defendants.)

DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE EXHIBIT UNDER SEAL

E.I. du Pont de Nemours and Company and Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc.

(collectively "Defendants") hereby respectfully move the Court for an order allowing Defendants to file a complete, unredacted copy of Exhibit A to the Memorandum in Support of Defendants' Motion to Compel under seal, pursuant to E.D. Mo. L. R. 13.05(A). The basis for this relief is as follows:

1. The Court has previously allowed the parties to file various pleadings and exhibits under seal.

2. Concurrently herewith, Defendants are filing their Motion to Compel and the Memorandum in Support of that Motion. Defendants respectfully request that they be permitted to file under seal Exhibit A to their memorandum in support. This exhibit is Monsanto's responses and objections to Defendants' document requests. It should be filed under seal because it refers to various provisions in the parties' confidential license agreements. A redacted version of this exhibit is not being filed with the Court.

WHEREFORE, Defendants respectfully request that the Court enter an order allowing Defendants to file under seal a complete, unredacted copy of Exhibit A to the Memorandum in Support of Defendants' Motion to Compel.

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Respectfully submitted,

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